

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Favorable consideration, in light of the present amendments and following discussion, is respectfully requested.

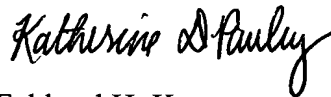
Claims 1-4, 6-15, 29, and 30 are pending; Claim 7 is amended; and no claims are newly added or canceled herewith. It is respectfully submitted that no new matter is added by this amendment.

The amendment to Claim 7 corrects an antecedent basis informality.

Consequently, in view of the foregoing discussion and present amendments, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. An early and favorable action is therefore respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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